

THE INFORMER



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The Informer is now a bi-weekly publication and will continue throughout the summer. Next issue is May 19th.

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IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO AVOID having to read tedious fillers and despicable jokes for the next three months or so, we suggest you send us lots of thrilling news and information. The location is 778 Premier and the phone numbers (at least for now) are 323 and 324.

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Four Capilano College students will be among 200 from across Canada who will be spending three months in Germany this summer. German students Yvonne Pavlovic, Renate Piniewski, Pauline Landberg, and Elaine Canning have been selected to participate in the Workstudent Program sponsored by the Canadian Association of University Teachers of German, the Canadian government, the German Academic Exchange Service and the Central Manpower Office in Germany. The students will spend the first two months working in various resorts, usually in hotels and restaurants, in order to improve their German, then in the third month they'll travel through Germany and Europe. The program includes airfare and an introductory tour of Germany, and the students will leave May 26th, returning on August 26. If you have got ideas for yourself or others in future years, the qualifications are as follows: students must be Canadians between 18 and 30 studying at a Canadian post-secondary institution. The students must have successfully completed at least one year university level German and are selected on the basis of their scholarship, proficiency and interest in German, maturity and work experience. Of course, we must add to Yvonne, Renate, Pauline and Elaine, good luck and congratulations. Have a marvellous summer.



The Teaching of Hand Writing in Schools, a workshop with Scottish handwriting consultant Tom Gourdie, will be held from 4 to 6 pm May 5, 6, and 7. This is a rare opportunity to catch him as he tours around the world. For more info call local 321.

Since this is the end for faculty and many others, we have a whole bunch or reminders of various sorts. And here's a good one to start with. While faculty members are off sailing their boats or sipping mint juleps on their sundecks or reconnoitering Mount Gongga or whatever during the summer, our students are out looking for summer jobs. If you were thinking of hiring someone to hand you your juleps or if you've heard of jobs, the Placement Centre would be more than happy to hear from you. Cap students come in all ages, shapes and sizes, have varying levels of experience and are looking into a multitude of different careers, so spread the word that a good place to look for the right employee is here. The local is 216.



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Would you like to billet a French student this summer? For the third year in a row we are having the Summer Language Bursary program and Quebec students 18 and older will be arriving to attend classes from May 24th to July 4. A fee is paid to the host family to cover room and board and homes on or near a good bus route are preferred. For information call Joan Gillis at 403 or Lesley Gillis at 216 from 9 to 1 Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday.

If you think you have no use for learning how to type, just think again. People who want to work in offices and students who want to legitify their essays (great word, huh?) can certainly use the skills, but a great many more people are going to find themselves needing typing soon. Computers are coming into more and more extensive use in offices and homes and it won't be very long before almost everyone is faced with a keyboard at least occasionally. The Columbus method of typing (search and discovery) is inefficient and definitely lacks class so perhaps this is your chance to become a proficient typist. Part time typing is offered this summer from 8:30 to 10:30 am weekdays in C119 at a cost of \$16.25 per month and the BTCDD Dept at local 235 has all the details.

The CCFA is holding a Professional Development Workshop on Communications Technology and if you want to get in on any of the programming, you have to get in touch with Bob Cook, Media Resources Dept before May 6. Should you do so, you could sign up for Orientation to Computers, Two-Way T.V. (Telidon), The Introduction of Videotex services into Canadian Society, Orientation to the Apple Microcomputer, Introduction to Computer Assisted Instruction or the Knowledge Network & Educational Growth in the 80's. The resource people are good and the whole program sounds remarkably relevant, so peruse a brochure and make up your mind by the 6th.

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